

VETERINARY EUTHANASIA REPORT

Bald Mountain HMA

Monday, December 20, 2010

One horse was euthanized due to the following condition(s) as stated in Instruction Memorandum No. 2009:

"A Bureau of Land Management (BLM) authorized officer will euthanize or authorize the euthanasia of a wild horse or burro when any of the following conditions exist:

3) Would require continuous treatment for the relief of pain and suffering in a domestic setting;

5) Has an acute or chronic illness, injury, physical condition or lameness that would not allow the animal to live and interact with other horses, keep up with its peers or maintain an acceptable quality of life constantly or for the foreseeable future."

1. Bay female, approximately 6 years of age, BCS 4, acute injury to left front leg. Severe laceration and deep puncture wound proximal to left carpus with involvement of tendon and muscle, and exposure of deep tissue and bone.